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SUBJ: PRESIDENT KAUNDA WELCOMES GENEVA TALKS

STATE HOUSE SPOKESMAN OCT.12 SAID THAT PRESIDENT KAUNDA WELCOMED THE ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT "THAT IT WOULD CONVENE A CONFERENCE OF THE AUTHENTIC LEADERS OF THE PEOPLE OF ZIMBABWE IN GENEVA TO ESTABLISH AN AFRICAN MAJORITY TRANSITIONAL GOVERNMENT. IT IS PRESIDENT KAUNDA'S FIRM HOPE AND CONVICTION THAT THERE WILL BE AN AGREEMENT IN GENEVA TO ESTABLISH AN AFRICAN MAJORITY GOVERNMENT IMMEDIATELY." KAUNDA APPEALED TO NATIONALIST LEADERS TO PUT THE INTERESTS OF THE PEOPLE OF ZIMBABWE AND AFRICA BEFORE ANY OTHER INTERESTS. SPOKESMAN ADDED THAT PRESIDENT HAD REITERATED ZAMBIA'S POLICY THAT, IF THE PROPOSED CONFERENCE FAILED TO ESTABLISH MAJORITY RULE, INTENSIFIED ARMED STRUGGLE WOULD CONTINUE.

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